

More Than 2000
Tons Of Bombs
Rock Dortmund
In Big RAF Raid

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By EDWARD D. BALL

London, May 24 (AP)—In the greatest air attack in history, the RAF dropped more than 2,000 tons of bombs last night on industrial Dortmund and raided other targets up and down the water-logged Ruhr valley of Germany.

Scores of four and two-ton bombs and tens of thousands of incendiaries kindled vast blazes in Dortmund, the smoke of which licked angrily into the sky three miles above the city of 500,000.

The weight of explosives loosed last night topped the previous record of more than 1,500 tons dumped May 12 on Duisburg, also in the Ruhr. The importance of Dortmund had increased greatly recently because the saturation battering of Essen had caused the shifting to Dortmund of many war industries.

Loss 38 Bombers

The British lost 38 bombers. Returning pilots described the hammer blow as highly successful, although accurate observation was obscured by clouds of smoke and flame.

The magnitude of last night's operations became apparent early in the evening when watchers on the channel coast saw the procession of bombers pass non-stop for two hours toward their targets.

It gave life to the words of Winston Churchill before the American Congress last week suggesting that Germany and Italy might be bombed out of the war.

The 41st assault on Dortmund last night was the first concentrated bombing since Mr. Churchill's address.

Greatest Raid

Not only was the raid the largest in Germany, it was the greatest in history.

As the explosive and fire bombs thumped down on the blazing city the mighty German defenses all but subsided.

The Ruhr valley which cradles a great percentage of Germany's coal, coke and steel industries already was pocked marked from one end to the other by previous British raids which has cut sharply into war production. Only a week ago, mine tossing Lancaster bombers breached the great Eder and Moehne dams which supplied power and water to the Ruhr and Weser valleys. The dam breaks loosed vast destructive floods.

Coal Basin Center

Dortmund is the easternmost city of the Ruhr and the terminus of the Dortmund-Ems canal. It is the main transportation outlet from the Ruhr and the center of the Westphalian coal basin.

To get to it, the RAF flew 700 miles round trip.

The heaviest bombers in the British hangars began their record breaking effort to cripple Germany's war potential a month ago, when more than 600 planes saturated Pilsen and Mannheim. That was the strongest force since the thousand-bomber assaults of last year.

The loss of 38 bombers was the highest price paid by the RAF since it spent 55 on Pilsen and Mannheim.

During May, the RAF has been over Germany ten nights, four of them in great strength. Berlin has been attacked six times.

German raids last night and early today on the British northeastern coast caused considerable destruction and some deaths, leaving many dead in the working class district of one town, it was said.

Blast Vessels

Four of the attacking planes were shot down, it was announced.

While the RAF was laying bombs on Zeebrugge, Belgium, Sunday, other planes scored hits on a German tanker, an armed trawler and another enemy vessel in the channel, and on railway objectives in northern France.

Two German motor torpedo boats were severely damaged by bombs in a fight in the English channel early this morning, according to the air ministry news service.

Naval fighter bombers caught six enemy motor torpedo boats in line and sticks of bombs dropped on the flotilla left two so badly damaged they had little chance of making port, it said.

ONE VIOLATION REPORTED HERE IN "BLACKOUT"

14 Killed In Pennsy Crash Sunday Night

Delair, N. J., May 24 (AP)—A crack Pennsylvania railroad passenger train, roaring north from Atlantic City to New York with nearly 1,300 passengers homeward bound after a weekend at the shore, wrecked on a curve in this southern New Jersey community last night, killing 14 persons and injuring at least 89 others.

At the break of dawn today, weary workers gave up the search for more bodies and turned to the task of clearing the right of way, blocked since the crash at 10:08 p. m.

And in two hospitals in Camden, three miles south of Delair, police and railroad officials began the grim task of attempting to identify nine horribly mangled bodies, including those of a mother and child of which she gave birth in the wreck. Both were decapitated.

Identified Dead
Already identified dead were: C. H. Bohr, of New York, conductor on the train.

H. N. Becker, of New York, the fireman.

Christian P. Horn, Trenton, New Jersey.

Bennie Schapiro, Montclair, New Jersey.

Louis Schapiro, New York city. Five of the unidentified dead were women.

It was the Pennsylvania's worst wreck in years.

W. C. Higginbottom, general manager of the railroad's eastern division, said a preliminary investigation indicated the engineer was exceeding the 15-mile speed limit on a 14-degree curve.

"Early checks show that the equipment and track were in good condition," the official said in a statement, "but definite indications are that the train was moving faster than the authorized speed limit when the derailment occurred."

Investigations were begun by the railroad, local officials and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Most of the passengers only a few hours before had been enjoying a gay holiday at shore resorts. Many had just left sons and sweethearts stationed at Atlantic City.

The engine, pulling a 15-car train, left the rails on a sharp curve, plunged down an embankment, dragging four of the cars behind it.

All the cars formerly were pullmans and had been converted to coaches by installation of wooden seats.

Passengers and baggage were

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OPA DEFINES "HOME CANNED" FOOD PRODUCTS

A definition of "home-canned" foods as distinguished from commercially canned products, was issued by the Office of Price Administration today in answer to many inquiries from housewives who sell a part of the fruits and vegetables they put up at home.

All home-canned fruits and vegetables have a "point price" of eight points per quart under the processed foods rationing program. Commercially processed foods, on the other hand, have specific point values assigned to each kind and container weight, according to the OPA's official table of point values.

Processed foods are considered to be "home-canned" by OPA if they meet the following requirements:

1. They have been canned in a kitchen primarily used for the preparation of meals, or in a kitchen used to demonstrate the preparation of such meals as in a school or home economics center, or

2. They have been canned in a separate building or shed which a farm home has equipped for canning purposes, provided that the owner has first obtained permission which will be granted, if the applicant indicates clearly that the facilities are not of commercial-production scale.

Special Circumstances
Food processed in any other kind of plant is considered by OPA to be a commercial product, and may be sold only at the current point value. However, families who wish to use commercial canning facilities to provide food principally for their own use, may do so and, under certain circumstances, acquire such food-point-free.

A family that has grown its own fruits and vegetables, and supplies all the necessary ingredients for canning, including sugar, when it is needed, may have this food commercially canned and acquire 100 quarts for each person in the family without surrendering ration points.

Graduates May 26th
From Dental School

The new regulations regarding gasoline rationing proved very effective in the Adams county area over the week-end, members of the local station of the state police said today.

Patrolmen on tour Sunday drove miles without seeing a single car and most automobiles or trucks on the road seemed to be the usual cars driving from Gettysburg and other county towns to defense plants in nearby cities.

Only during the regular hours when defense workers travel to and from their places of employment was there traffic of any consequence on the road, the officers said. Rural churchgoers used their cars but most townspeople walked.

A few cars were seen which seemed to be pleasure driving but no investigation was made pending of the word delegating authority to police from OPA, it was stated.

Given Two Years
For Car Theft

Convicted of unauthorized use of an automobile, Freeman Eyer, Emmitsburg, was sentenced by Magistrate Francis J. Campbell to serve two years in the House of Correction.

Eyer was charged by Sergt. Truman Moon and Corp. Elwood O'Hara, of the state police, with the theft of a car belonging to a Pennsylvania resident in Emmitsburg. He was further charged with having wrecked the machine near Emmitsburg.

AT BROOKLYN STATION
Fred G. McCauslin, Bendersville, has entered the Maritime Service Training Station, Brooklyn, where he will undergo training for a period of from three to six months after which he will be assigned to duty as a merchant ship.

Stover's Shoe Store, Baltimore Street, will be closed all day Wednesday to arrange new stock.

Weather Forecast
Rain tonight and Tuesday morning, continued cool.

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James Tate To Wed Jeanette Frazer

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Frazer, Hanover street, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jeanette Frazer, to Sergeant James W. Tate, son of James A. Tate, Fourth street.

Miss Frazer graduated from Gettysburg high school in 1939 and is now a senior nurse at the Allegheny hospital, Cumberland, Maryland. She will be graduated in September.

Sgt. Tate graduated from Gettysburg high school in 1937. He enlisted in the 104th Cavalry at Harrisburg in February, 1941. Since last January he has been stationed at Salem, Oregon.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Sgt. Tate will leave this evening for Salem after spending a 15-day furlough at his home here.

TRUSTEES SEEK SECURITIES OF TRUST COMPANY

Liquidating trustees of the Citizens' Trust company of Gettysburg filed in court Saturday their fourth account in winding up the affairs of the bank which was merged with the First National in February, 1932.

At the same time the trustees began an equity action for a court order

requiring the former directors of the trust company and the state secretary of banking to turn over cash

and securities pledged 11 years ago to make good any deficiencies in the transfer of assets to the First National bank of Gettysburg.

The new account covers the period from June 27, 1938, to March 17, 1943, and shows assets on hand of \$118,221 and liabilities of \$154,774 leaving a deficit, based on book values, of \$36,552.

Waive Commission

The 25-page account was filed by the three trustees—M. E. Krouse, Harry L. Snyder and Edmund W. Thomas—who at one point in their 25-page account state that "in view of the apparent loss to be sustained by the First National bank of Gettysburg on the note of the Citizens' Trust company of Gettysburg" waive any further commissions in connection with their trusteeship at the close of the pending account.

The trustees were charged with handling the liquidation of a total of \$876,794 and under the law were entitled to a commission of one per cent for their services. With the filing of the first three accounts they received a total of \$3,217. The amount to be paid in this account is \$4,387, leaving a balance due them of about \$1,163 which they will not claim.

List Nine Items

The court on Saturday set June 26 at 11 a. m. as the time for a hearing.

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Here And There News Collected At Random

A soldier on duty "somewhere" wrote to his sister in Gettysburg today. It is the best burlesque on censorship we have seen in many a moon. We believe you might enjoy reading it, so here it is:

Date: Who Cares?

Place: Ditto.

Dear Sister, etc.:

After leaving where we were before we left here, not knowing we were coming here from there, we could not tell if we would arrive here or not. Nevertheless we are now here and not there.

The weather here is just as it is at this season but of course is quite unlike the weather where we were before we came here. After leaving where we were, traveling by what we came, we had a good trip.

The people here are just like they look but don't look to be like they were where we came from. From here to there is just as far as from there to here.

The way we came here is just the same way everyone comes from there to here. Of course we had to bring everything we had with us, for we had to wear what we would wear here, which is not like what we would wear there. The whole thing is quite a new experience here because it isn't what it is like where we were before we left there.

In all probability it is now time for me to stop this somewhat too newsworthy letter before I give out too much information since the censor here is likely to be a spy.

It's something like the fellow who wrote to his girl saying "I couldn't be there with you because I never left here."

Countians Attend
Meetings Of Synod

The Rev. Dr. W. F. Rex, supply pastor at Mt. Joy Lutheran church; the Rev. A. R. Longenecker, and the Rev. A. A. Kelly, all of Gettysburg, and Clarence C. Smith, a lay representative from Mt. Joy Lutheran congregation, will go to Harrisburg this evening to attend sessions of the Central Pennsylvania Synod. They will remain for meetings on Tuesday.

The Rev. Ralph W. Baker, Gettysburg, is attending the meetings in Harrisburg today.

MAN DEFERRED

The New Oxford draft board announced today that the classification of Charles Raymond Eicker has been changed by the board from 1A to 2A for a six-month period.

NAMED DIVORCE MASTER

Richard A. Brown, Esq., was named master in the divorce action by Constance E. Kinneman against John A. Kinneman in court here on Saturday.

Hold Rites For
Infant Sunday

Funeral services were held in Evergreen cemetery Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Sonji Kay Raffensperger, still-born daughter of Frank H. and Irene Anna (Sponser) Raffensperger, who was born at the Warner hospital Saturday.

In addition to the parents of the son, the Rev. Mr. Leedy said. Another example given was that of Plymouth Rock's establishment as a memorial by the pilgrims.

George P. Black, past commander of the Sons of Veterans, was in charge of the service with William L. Meals, Esq., acting as adjutant and W. Preston Hull as chaplain.

The audience took part in the service with group singing and answers to responsive reading.

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DISSOLUTION OF RED COMINTERN OF BIG IMPORT

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Moscow's announcement of the dissolution of the Communist International, or Comintern, is one of the momentous developments of the war—if it proves to mean what it seems to indicate now.

The Comintern, which was founded in 1919, long ago defined itself as the "general staff of world revolution." That succinctly sums up its original mission—the spreading of Communism to other countries by creating revolts against their governments. It was the Comintern, with its agents and propaganda, which caused foreign nations including Britain and the United States to raise barriers of fear against Moscow.

The implication in the announcement is that Russia has formally disavowed any intention of trying to spread Communism by this method. Henceforth Communist parties in foreign countries aren't to look to the birthplace of Bolshevism for instructions.

Most observers, however, are inclined to regard this development as one of those puds which are proved in the eating. Time will be a sure guide to whether the Red Comintern intends to confine its political activities to the home country.

One of the most sensational aspects of this move is that it seems calculated to leave Führer Hitler stranded in the old swimming-hole without any clothes.

Axis Flabbergasted

The bond (in theory) between the Axis powers and Japan is their anti-Comintern pact. Of course, the real tie is gangsterism, but anti-Communism is the white horse which Knight Hitler has been riding with spurs and whip.

The anti-Comintern pact was signed by Germany and Japan in 1936, and Italy subscribed to it the next year. This alliance declared that the Communist International aimed at breaking up all existing states. The Nazi chief has been depending heavily on this propaganda, right up to the moment of Moscow's surprise announcement, not only to keep his followers in line but to try to create a split between Russia and the rest of the United Nations.

Berlin and Rome appeared to be flabbergasted when the news broke from Moscow at the week-end. It certainly put them on a nasty spot from which they may have extreme difficulty in escaping.

World Revolution Feared

The Comintern was created as a Communist party institution with the idea of taking advantage of the widespread disorganization produced by the first World War to establish Communism around the globe by causing a general revolt against established governments. One of the chief exponents of this scheme was the late Leon Trotsky, who hoped to be successor to Lenin.

When Lenin died in 1924, however, it wasn't Trotsky but Stalin who came to power. Stalin took the position that Russia's first aim should not be world revolution but development of industrial strength at home. He therefore quietly shelved Trotsky's dream and little later inaugurated the industrialization which has been so amazingly successful. Meantime the fiery Trotsky was expelled, and finally wound up in Mexico where he was assassinated.

However, the Comintern continued to function vigorously and Communist parties in other countries looked to it for direction and orders. Foreign governments fought the propaganda and wondered anxiously whether Stalin would take the idea of world revolution down from the shelf and dust it off when the time seemed right, that is, when the world was again disorganized by war.

May Help After War

Observers hold that most of the suspicion and distrust of Moscow by foreign countries has been due to this fear of Communism being thrust upon them. Now we have this new Red announcement which ostensibly is calculated to remove the distrust and pave the way for unity of view among the Allies, both as regards the war effort and post-war reconstruction.

If things turn out that way it may prevent another world upheaval after we have finished with Hitler et al. One is reminded of Vice President Wallace's recent sensational statement:

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stoner, Gettysburg R. 5, announce the birth of a daughter at the Warner hospital this morning.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

DEATHS

Anthony M. Storm

Anthony M. Storm, New Oxford R. 2, died at 10:30 o'clock Saturday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Walter Wagner, New Oxford R. 2, following an illness of three months.

He was a son of Cletus Storm and the late Mary Rider Storm. Mr. Storm was a member of Hanover Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and of the Hanover Home association.

Surviving are his father, Cletus Storm, New Oxford R. 2, and eight brothers and sisters, Edward Storm, New Oxford; Mrs. Robert Eline, McSherrystown; Mrs. Walter Wagner, New Oxford R. 2, with whom he made his home; John Storm and Lewis Storm, both of York; Claude Storm, South street, Hanover; Mrs. John Wildasin, Pleasant Hill, Hanover R. D. 2, and Mrs. Theodore Stouch, New Oxford R. D. 1.

Funeral services Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the W. A. Feiser funeral home, Hanover, conducted by the Rev. Harry Hursh Beideman, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church. Interment in Mt. Olivet cemetery, Hanover.

Pvt. Richard Fissel spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Fissel, Greenmount.

Mrs. E. D. Hudson, Hanover street, is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Harvey Zeigler, Hagerstown.

A Missionary program will be presented at the meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church at the parsonage, 304 Baltimore street, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Officers of the society will be the hosts.

A regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the post home this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The annual luncheon of the Woman's club will be held at Hotel Gettysburg Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Reservations must be made before Tuesday at 6 p.m. Mrs. E. W. Thomas and Mrs. Earl Bowen form the committee in charge. Mrs. Paul Thomas will operate a booth for the sale of war stamps and bonds.

Richard Tawney, Ft. Belvoir, Va., spent the week-end at his home on West Middle street.

PFC Ivan Kitzmiller, Ft. Meade, Md., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Blaine Kitzmiller, West Middle street.

Pvt. Fred Faber, Pikesville, Md., visited at his home on Chambersburg street over the week-end.

Mrs. Frank Clutz has returned to her home on West Broadway from Pittsburgh where she spent the winter with her husband, Doctor Clutz.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Fortenbaugh and daughters, Ruth and Ann, were in New Cumberland Saturday to visit Pvt. Robert Fortenbaugh at the Reception Center.

Mrs. L. L. Whittinghill, North Washington street, and Mrs. E. T. Whittinghill, Buford avenue, spent Sunday in New York city where they visited the latter's husband who is a hospital apprentice, first class, at the U. S. Naval hospital, Brooklyn.

Mrs. John H. Pape, Buford avenue, spend the week-end abraher her cruiser in the Chesapeake bay.

Dr. and Mrs. Bruce N. Wolff, Springs avenue, and Dr. and Mrs. Roy Wetzel, Hanover, have returned from a trip to New York city.

The Misses Bonnie and Lenore Schwartz, Baltimore, spent the week-end at their home on East Water street and had as their guests, Miss LaRene Joins, Miss Marjorie Green and Mrs. Henry Damse, all of Baltimore.

Mrs. Paul S. Gilbert, Massapequa, Long Island, has returned home after visiting her mother, Mrs. S. S. Neely, West Lincoln avenue. Mrs. Neely's brother, C. D. Clancy, Upper Darby, has also concluded a visit with his sister.

Mrs. P. G. Pensinger, West Middle street, and daughters, Sondra and Madeline, are visiting with Mrs. Pensinger's sister, Mrs. Norman Ayres, Hagerstown.

Miss Grace Lester and Miss Genevieve Rose have returned to Gettysburg after spending several days with Miss Alta Funt, Ravenna, Ohio.

Pvt. Mark Frazer has returned to Atlantic City, New Jersey, after spending the week-end at his home on West High street with his wife and mother.

Property Transfers

The Littlestown Development company sold to Richard A. and Mary S. Little, Littlestown, a lot on East Princess street in that borough.

Robert E. and Blodwyn Tipton, Gettysburg, sold to Paul H. Baldinger, Hanover, a lot in Cumberland township.

Charles R. and Elizabeth G. Sudder, Mt. Pleasant township, sold to Hobson D. and Pauline E. Crouse, Cumberland township, a 44-acre property in Mt. Pleasant township.

C. E. and Mary J. Nuneemaker, Cenewago township, sold to Claude I. and M. Grace Strausbaugh, Cenewago township, a lot in that township.

Unless the western democracies and Russia came to a satisfactory understanding before the war ends, I very much fear that World War No. 3 will be inevitable."

\$100 Damage In Two-Car Crash

Damage estimated at about \$100 resulted when the car of Robert L. Miller, 17, Biglerville R. 1, struck the parked machine of John Allen Sheffer, Gettysburg R. 3, at the Thomas gasoline station, three and a half miles north of here on the Biglerville road, Sunday evening about 6:45 o'clock.

Private Anthony Martin of the Gettysburg detail of the state police investigated the accident. He said the Miller car went out of control when a steering rod dropped to the roadway. No one was injured and no charges were brought.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stoner, Gettysburg R. 5, announce the birth of a daughter at the Warner hospital this morning.

A daughter, Linda Mae, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Butt, Jr., Harrisburg, at the hospital Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Black, Aspers R. 1, announce the birth of a son, Larry Bernard, at the hospital Sunday.

BUY BEAUTY SHOP

Mrs. Amy Gillean Marsden and Mrs. Jeanne Bucher McCleaf have purchased Nellie's beauty shop in the Brem building on Chambersburg street and will take possession June 1. The shop will continue in operation as usual this week. Both Mrs. Marsden and Mrs. McCleaf have had several years of experience as operators in local beauty shops.

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KROUT ELECTED DISTRICT HEAD

C. D. Krout, of Trinity Lutheran church, East Berlin, was elected president of the Fourth District Sunday School association of Adams county at the 45th annual district convention held Sunday at Abbottstown.

Other officers named were: Vice president, the Rev. Richard Shaffer; secretary, Mrs. Ira Lobaugh; treasurer, C. J. Meckley; Children's Division superintendent, Mrs. John Kratzert; School Administration, Mrs. Dale March; Young People, Miss Grace Smith; Christian Education, the Rev. Elmer Drumm; Adult Education, Prof. C. P. Keefer; Evangelism, the Rev. George Sheffer; Temperance, William Sanders, and Missionary, Mrs. Dobbs Ehlman.

Ten of the 11 schools of the district were represented at the meeting with Charles L. Gentzler, East Berlin, the retiring president, presiding. Luther Lady, Biglerville, conducted a song service. Devotions were in charge of the Rev. Dobbs Ehlman. During the business meeting officers of the district and county organizations gave their reports.

The Rev. Elwood Johnson, pastor of the Holtzschwann Lutheran church, was the principal speaker.

Leaders for the conference periods were as follows: Mrs. John Kratzert, Children's division; the Rev. Ralph W. Baker, Young People's, and Mrs. C. D. Krout, Adults.

The installation of newly-elected officers was in charge of Mr. Gentzler. The Rev. Mr. Sheffer pronounced the benediction.

Henry Burkhardt, Orrtanna, was re-elected president of the fourth district of the Adams County Sunday School association at the annual district convention which was held Sunday afternoon and evening in Zion Lutheran church, Fairfield.

Walter E. Myers, general secretary of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School association, was the principal guest speaker and conducted the installation of the newly-elected officers. The Rev. Earl Rowe, York Springs Methodist pastor; Mrs. Ira Henderson and Miss Barbara Henderson, Fairfield, participated in the convention program as conference leaders.

At the evening meeting devotions were led by J. Warren Martin, Fairfield, and the Rev. Emmett G. Collestock, Fairfield, sang. Mr. Myers delivered the closing address on the theme, "Speak To My People That They Go Forward."

Richard Debler, Philadelphia, spent the week-end with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dunbar entertained a number of guests at supper on Friday evening in honor of their daughter, Miss Carol, who was celebrating her birthday anniversary. The guests were school mates of Carol.

William N. Raffensperger, who has been ill for some time, is reported to be improving.

Pvt. Francis Thomas spent a few days recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Thomas.

Miss Carrie Lady, Hershey, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Lady.

David Bushman was a visitor in Harrisburg on Saturday.

Miss Annie Hoffman, who makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bossamer and who broke her hip while visiting in Lancaster during the winter, has been discharged from the hospital. She is staying with friends for several weeks before she will return to Arendtsville.

The suit in equity is against William C. Freeman, the secretary of banking of Pennsylvania; the First National bank as executor of the will of the late W. F. Gilliland; Harvey W. Knouse as executor of the will of S. B. Gochnaur; Howard C. Hartley, J. R. Hartman, D. S. Mickley, F. M. Musselman, H. S. Reigle, C. Ray Rupp, J. Luther Scott and Harry L. Snyder.

Police, railroad crews and civilian defense volunteers struggled to aid the injured and rescue trapped passengers. For five hours workers using acetylene torches cut into the wrecked first car, seeking additional bodies. Then two huge cranes pulled the car away from another, lifted it, and four bodies dropped out. They were crushed so badly that attempts at identification were confined to a search of their personal effects.

Surviving are a number of nephews and nieces.

Funeral services from the Bender funeral home Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock conducted by the Rev. Ralph R. Gresh. Interment in Evergreen cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home this evening after 7 o'clock.

Two Countians Hurt
In Crash In York

Two persons received slight injuries as the result of an automobile accident which occurred Sunday afternoon at 3:50 o'clock in York. Police records show that Charles D. Alleman, Jr., operating the sedan of his father, Charles Alleman, 123 East King street, York, was proceeding north on Belvidere avenue and was making a turn to go west on Market street, when another automobile operated by August Kessler, 2843 West Oakdale street, Philadelphia, and owned by Corporal Arthur P. Brennan, Gettysburg, proceeding east on Market street, passed through a red signal light and struck the left front of the Alleman car.

Both passengers in the Brennan car were treated for abrasions and bruises to the legs. Another passenger in the Brennan vehicle, Robert Brennan, also of Gettysburg R. D. 1, escaped injury.

The soldier, Pvt. Felix A. Shagin, 19, of Passaic, New Jersey, took his knife, cut away his shoe to free his foot and in doing it badly cut the foot. He was treated at a hospital, then continued his journey home.

Soldiers Aid Injured

Someone screamed "fire" as wisps of steam curled through the car from the shattered engine. Women shrieked in panic as everyone fought to get out. Then cool-headed soldiers restored order, began helping the safe and the injured outside.

The priest, Fathers Raymond Cavanaugh and Cletus Moran of nearby St. Cecilia's church, climbed into the wrecked coaches to administer to the dead and dying the rites of the Catholic church.

All available ambulances and emergency equipment was summoned to the scene. Ambulances made repeated trips to hospitals over roads clogged with autos. An emergency first-aid station was set up in Delair high school, and many residents in the vicinity of the crash opened their homes to give aid and rest to passengers not requiring medical treatment.

Within a short time thousands had gathered at the scene, and many remained through the night, watching the work under glaring floodlights.

Traffic on both tracks was halted until shortly after 6 a.m., when one track was cleared sufficiently to permit slow movement of trains past the wreckage. During the night traffic was rerouted from Philadelphia.

POSTPONE DINNER

The Elks dinner for incoming and outgoing officers which was scheduled to be held Wednesday evening at the lodge home on York street has been indefinitely postponed. It was announced today by Arthur Buehler, chairman of the entertainment committee. The postponement was made due to the recent pleasure driving ban.

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61ST BIRTHDAY

Dangerfield Mitchell, known about town as the "human vacuum cleaner and one man company," is celebrating his sixty-first birthday anniversary today.

The Red Cross War Relief fund now lacks only \$47,84 of reaching

the new goal of \$21,000, an announcement from the chapter office today revealed. The quota set for Adams county in the drive which was conducted in March was \$18,700.

BIXLER BETTER

Deputy Sheriff B. E. Bixler is re-

ported today to be improving at



Why butter won't melt in Africa

EVERY HOUSEWIFE knows that you can't keep butter on a hot summer day without some sort of refrigeration. It melts . . . and it grows rancid.

But American soldiers, now fighting in North Africa, carry with them a non-melting butter, especially prepared for desert warfare. This butter will not melt, or grow rancid, until the temperature reaches 120 degrees Fahrenheit.

What's the secret of this new desert-type butter? Simply this . . . it is fortified with a fat which has a high melting point. The butter can be packed in a can, like beans or beef, and will keep indefinitely.

Why bother with butter?

You might think that soldiers engaged in desert warfare could get along without butter. They could! But why should they?

Unlike Europeans, most Americans are used to having something to spread on their bread. When they can't get butter, they use jam or marmalade. But this makes the men thirsty, and there you have another desert problem. For in North Africa, water is as scarce as butter, and often dangerous to drink.

So, thanks to Yankee ingenuity, our soldiers solve the whole problem by carrying along butter that will not melt . . . even in African deserts!

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THE ABOVE STORY illustrates something that you already know . . . that American soldiers are the best-fed, the best-cared-for fighting men in the history of the world. That fact brings a glow of satisfaction to every American, for we all agree that the very best of everything is none too good for our boys!

But giving our boys the things they need costs a lot of money—which is why the Government asks us to buy more War Bonds.

And that's not so much to ask. Many of us are making more money than we have made for years. The things we'd like to buy with that money have either disappeared or are as scarce as hen's teeth! So, why not put that money into War Bonds at good interest—\$4 for every \$3 when the Bonds mature? Money to help pay for the war—keep prices down—provide peacetime jobs and peacetime goods and a generally decent world for all of us when the war is won.

Chances are, you're already in the Payroll Savings Plan—buying War Bonds—doing your bit. But don't stop there. Raise your sights! Do your best!

How millions of Americans have done their bit—and how they can do better:

Of the 34 million Americans who plant payrolls, nearly 30 million of them have joined the Payroll Savings Plan. (If you aren't in yet—sign up tomorrow!)

Those Americans who have joined the Plan are investing, on the average, 10% of their earnings in War Bonds. (If you haven't reached 10% yet—keep trying!)

BUT . . .

America's income this year will be the highest in history: about 125 BILLION dollars! In spite of all taxes and price rises, the average worker will have more money than last year—more than ever before!

That is why Uncle Sam has a right to ask us, individually, to invest more money in War Bonds, through the Payroll Savings Plan. He asks us to invest not 10% or 15% or 20%, but all we can!

★ This Page Space is a Contribution to America's all-out War Effort by the following Gettysburg and Adams County Business Firms and Organizations ★

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An Evening Thought

What is past is past. There is a future left to all men who have the virtue to repent, and the energy to atone.—Bulwer-Lytton

Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest

ADVICE TO ORATORS

They do not need a spur or prod
Whose sons are in some battle line.

In prayer they daily turn to God
All pleading for His care divine.

We need not tug them by the sleeve
Nor shout at them that war is here.

They know it well who sit and grieve
And choke the sigh and hide the tear.

They understand that war has come
Who sit in silence evenings long
Where once were saxophone and drum
And merry mirth and dance and song.

And if their sorrow they conceal
Too deep for stranger's eyes to find
Or hide the loneliness they feel,
Do them the justice to be kind.

Oh, gifted tongues be very wise,
Hold them in inspiration's spell,
But don't bring tears to saddened eyes
By shouting what they know too well.

Today's Talk

By George Matthew Adams

THE PRINTED WORD

None of us can even speculate upon the power and influence of the printed word, or honor too much the efforts of those who first made it possible to use type in such a manner as to produce books.

Gutenberg, who first invented movable type, did so 500 years ago, 1940 being that anniversary. And yet, hardly any notice was taken of that great event. Bulgaria and Yugoslavia commemorated the event by postage stamps, the former with two stamps and the latter with but one.

Here in America, the United States celebrated the 300th anniversary in 1939 of the first printing press of Colonial times by a beautiful stamp. But the government found it impossible even to find a portrait of the inventor Stephen Daye! During the same year, Mexico celebrated the event of its first printing press—which antedated the United States by something like a hundred years—with three attractive stamps.

Had I not been a modest stamp collector I am afraid I would have missed these interesting events. The very country of all that should have celebrated this great event of Gutenberg—Germany—was too busy enslaving whole populations, and burning the books of valued thinkers to remember such a valuable contributor to civilization as Herr Gutenberg.

But what a blessing to mankind was the invention of that first printing press, which since has been so perfected that millions have risen from ignorance to an intelligent understanding of life and earth's great gifts! And how interesting to recall that Gutenberg's first printed book should have been the Bible—the book that Hitler would destroy.

Nothing is more thrilling than to stand and watch a great printing press turn out endless sheets of printed knowledge. A great newspaper publisher once told me that he would rather hear the hum of his printing press than the grandest of all Grand Operas!

Books once were men—but what a multitude of great men and women—leaders in every phase of life—have been made through the influence of books.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "Bridges."

The Almanac

MAY

25—Sun rises 5:56 a.m.; sets 8:18 p.m.

Moon rises 1 a.m.; sets 8:55 p.m.

Moon rises 1:41 a.m.; sets 8:19 p.m.

Moon Phase

26—Last Quarter

Out Of The Past
From the Files of the
Star and Sentinel and
The Gettysburg Times

ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO

May Party: The pupils of the Gettysburg high school contemplate to hold a May party at the Third Swamp, on Wednesday, the 24th inst. Miss Helen Schreiner has been chosen by her school companions to be their Queen, and Master Francis McGee, to be King. The directors of the public schools, and the citizens of the borough and neighborhood generally, are respectfully invited to attend.

Wm. D. Clark, Principal

N. B.—The procession to leave town at 12 o'clock.

Gettysburg Troop: You will parade in Gettysburg on Saturday, the 10th of June, at 10 o'clock, a.m.

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Gas Rations Slashed To Preserve Supply In Eastern Area

TRUCKS, BUSES
AND TAXICABS
ARE CURTAILED

Washington, May 24 (AP)—Further restrictions on the use of gasoline by commercial vehicles in the east curtailed bus service, took many taxis off the streets and cut down the delivery of non-essential commodities such as beer, liquor and soft drinks today.

40 per cent slash in the allotment of motor fuel to holders of "T" ration cards—trucks, buses and cabs—was announced by the Office of Defense Transportation over the week-end.

ODT and Office of Price Administration agents started enforcing the order today to eliminate all non-essential driving in the 12 northeastern states—from Maine to Virginia—where gasoline supplies are at record lows.

Expect Further Cut

The 40 per cent cut is an overall figure applicable to the mileage of all commercial vehicles. Some buses and trucks serving war production centers and military establishments, for instance, may be reduced only about 10 per cent. Gasoline allotments for trucks delivering non-essential goods may be pared as much as 80 per cent.

On the 4th inst. by the same, Mr. Rev. Mr. Heilig, Mr. Reuben Heyburn, to Miss Elizabeth Grant—both of Abbotsford.

On the 20th ult. by the Rev. John Urlich, Mr. Isaac Shuman, to Miss Barbara Habenstein—both of this county.

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Menagerie: The Philadelphia Zoological Garden united with the New York Institute for the year 1943, under the direction of Mr. H. Hopkins & Co.—The proprietors of this establishment would inform the citizens of Gettysburg and vicinity that their exhibition will be open for the reception of visitors on Monday the 29th inst., from 1 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Price of admission, 25 cents, children under ten years of age half price.

For particulars see large bills posted at the hotels.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Opening: Mr. John Gruel formally opened his new ice cream saloon on Thursday evening last. The members of Good Samaritan Lodge A.Y.M. were present by special invitation, and had a pleasant time, the refreshments being first class.

Only Vital Service

ODT told bus and cab operators

they should eliminate service "not vital to the war effort." Both buses and cabs are regarded as essential vehicles, the agency said, but they should do away with all unnecessary mileage.

Accordingly, cab companies quit using some vehicles, and bus transportation operators abandoned little-traveled routes. ODT told the bus companies that standing passengers should be carried on all trips in order to make the fullest use of the vehicles.

ODT said it would consider additional gasoline allotments for cabs only if they could show all waste travel has been eliminated.

Visitors: The Presbyterian General assembly (new school), about 200 in number, now in session in Harrisburg, expect to visit the battlefield on Thursday morning, in a special train. They will be received at the depot by a committee of citizens and made the guests of the town during their stay. In the forenoon they will visit the scene of the first day's fight, returning to Agricultural hall to partake of a cold collation. The afternoon will be occupied in visiting the National cemetery, Culp's Hill, etc., returning to Harrisburg in the evening. Governor Geary is expected to accompany the visitors.

Jeremiah Culp, Gettysburg, Pa., undertaker & paperhanger, is preparing to furnish on short notice and reasonable terms COFFINS OF ALL STYLES. He also keeps on hand a large assortment of WALL PAPER, which he sells at lowest cash rates, and if desired will furnish panels to put it on the wall.

Plain and fancy sign painting executed to order.

NY street—a few doors east of Lutheran church.

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Soldiers of Adams County: The 20th of May will be observed throughout the country as a day on which to decorate with flowers the Union dead of the late Rebellion. It is proposed to have appropriate exercises in the Gettysburg National cemetery on the afternoon of that day. Every soldier in the county is earnestly requested to be present.

An excursion train will be run from Hanover, if a sufficient number of tickets can be secured.

Capt. Ed. McPherson, chairman; Col. C. H. Buehler, Maj. H. S. Benner, Capt. Geo. E. Kitzmiller, W. T. King, A. M. Hunter, P. J. Tate, Henry Chritzman, Adj't. J. W. Cress.

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Grant, Colfax and Victory! Republican National Convention: The National Republican party of the United States, assembled in national convention, in the city of Chicago, of the 20th day of May, 1868, made a declaration of principles. The convention then proceeded to the nomination of candidates.

An unanimous motion was made to proceed to ballot for President, and Mr. Logan, in the name of the loyal people and soldiers of the Republic, nominated U. S. Grant. The whole convention rose to their feet, amidst great cheering and waving of hats and handkerchiefs. The applause was prolonged. Three cheers were given for General Grant and the bands played "Hail to the Chief."

As the states were called each

Flashes of Life

By The Associated Press

THINGS HAVE CHANGED

Kansas City—Tripped by big city ways!

Police halted a driver who failed to observe a stop sign.

"I haven't driven a car for 12 years," he apologized. "I've about forgotten how to operate."

The curious cops wondered why he hadn't driven for so long.

Now the erring motorist is on the way to the penitentiary identified as Edward Lewis, an escaped prisoner.

WELL-QUALIFIED

Merced, Calif.—Lieut. Eugene Fish will teach swimming at the Merced Army Air Field.

GOOD FOR 100 YEARS

Los Angeles—James C. McLaughlin, who claimed he was never drunk, never uttered an oath and never married, died yesterday, 100 years old.

His grandmother evidently had a better formula for longevity. She lived to be 129.

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cultural hall to partake of a cold col-

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

COST

The rate for all Classified advertisements is 15 words one insertion, 50 cents, and TWO CENTS EACH WORD thereafter. Advertisements of political nature, 12 words for 60 cents or 5 cents each word thereafter. All Classified advertisements should be in 11 A. M. to insure publication.

PHONES 640-641-642

FOR SALE GENERAL

DO NOT BE CAUGHT SHORT ON a coal heater or range, now or for next fall. We still have ranges and circulating heaters on hand. Buy now. Trade-In Furniture Exchange, 55 W. Clarke, rear York Supply Company, York, Pa.

FOR SALE: HEREFORD STEERS and fat hogs. S. G. Bigham, Biglerville. Phone 19.

FOR SALE: DOUBLE ROW CORN planter. Deering mower, hay rake, eight-foot grain binder, horse and tractor hitch, perfect condition. L. D. Plank, Round Top.

FOR SALE: 150 SIX WEEKS OLD Leader Leghorn roosters, 25c each; also eight pigs, eight weeks old. Allen A. Weikert, Gettysburg R. 2. Phone 929-R-22.

FOR SALE: BOY'S BICYCLE, good as new. George Beamer, Table Rock, Biglerville, 57-R-14.

USED CARS FOR SALE

FOR SALE: HUDSON 1941 SUPER-SIX sedan, low mileage, excellent condition, good tires, heater, radio, air foam cushion. Owner in the service. Cash. Mrs. O. D. Coble, Bendersville, Pa.

FOR RENT

HOUSE FOR RENT, ADULTS PREFERRED. Apply Mumper's Studio.

FOR RENT: COTTAGE AT MARSH Creek Heights, four bedrooms, by month or season. Phone 509-Y or 42 East Lincoln avenue.

FOR RENT: SEVEN ROOMS water in kitchen and electric. Martha N. Deatrick, Schriver's Road Stand along Harrisburg-Gettysburg road, five miles from Gettysburg. Phone 934-R-12.

FOR RENT: LARGE FURNISHED room, bay window front. Apply Times office.

LOST

LOST: POCKETBOOK, BETWEEN Gettysburg and Hunterstown. Reward. Return to Charles E. Little, Hunterstown.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

COOK: WHITE, EXPERIENCE, general housework to live in. Family of 2 adults, 2 children, 10 and 12 years. Write or call, Town 1530, reverse charges.

WANTED: OPERATOR IN LOCAL beauty shop at once. Apply Times office.

WANTED: RELIABLE, MIDDLE-aged lady. Apply Butt's Diner, Buford avenue, next to the Esso Station.

WANTED: MAIDS APPLY IN person, Hotel Gettysburg.

WANTED: WAITRESS. APPLY DeLuxe Restaurant.

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED: FARMER WITH OR-CHARD experience, good proposition, give reference. Write letter "785," care Times office.

WANTED: MAN TO CLERK IN store, good working conditions. Apply Gettysburg Hardware Store.

WANTED: NIGHT PORTER. Hotel Gettysburg.

HELP WANTED

WANTED: WAITRESS AND SODA dispenser, experience not necessary. \$15.00 and meals. Write Letter "781," Times office.

WANTED: COOK, MAN OR woman. Hotel Gettysburg.

"Like Hot Cakes"

The tempting offers listed in the Classified Ad column every day are snapped up "like hot cakes" by eager buyers. If you see something that appeals to you, don't hesitate to act at once before someone else takes the opportunity.

MARKETS Local Prices

Gettysburg-Grain-Eggs

Market prices at the Gettysburg warehouse and the Egg Co-op association, correspondingly, are as follows:

Wheat \$1.50
Barley .92
Corn 1.16
Rye .77
Brown Eggs .37
White Eggs .38 1/2

New York Eggs

New York, May 24 (AP)—Eggs 2 days receipts, 47,905; irregular, Mixed colors: Fancy to extra fancy 33 1/2-40%; extras 39 1/2-4%; storage packed firs 38%; graded firs 38; current receipts 36%; mediums 35-35 1/2%; dirties No. 1, 36; average checks 35 1/2.

OPA workers lifted more than 100 ration books in a weekend drive which hundreds of suspects were stopped and questioned.

A new threat to illegal driving may cut the number further: Feldman said there is a possibility of Federal court action against "several motorists" found in unlawful possession of C. R. and T. gas ration coupons.

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Ask Prompt Return Of Ration Book Forms

Philadelphia, May 24 (AP)—Pennsylvania residents were under instructions from the Office of Price Administration today to fill out and return as rapidly as possible their applications for ration book 3.

Most Keystone state residents already have received the forms, with instructions to return them between June 1 and 15, the policy which is to be followed nationally. However, since some 50,000 Philadelphia school children will process the applications here, OPA asked for earlier returns in order that the work can be completed before schools close.

YANKS CONTROL SEA AND AIR OFF ALEUTIANS

By HAMILTON W. FARON

Washington, May 24 (AP)—Disruption of an attempt by Japanese bombers to delay the final wiping out of their ground forces on Attu indicated today that the United States had won control of the sea and air off that Aleutians outpost.

It forecast, too, the possibility that American bombers soon may be roaring over the northern Pacific to slam bombs into the big Japanese sea and air base at Paramushiro, whence the raiders presumably came.

Two U.S. naval vessels bore the brunt of the enemy's aerial assault and may have forced them to withdraw, for the Navy said of the raid only this:

Frustate Attack

"About 15 twin-engine Japanese bombers unsuccessfully attacked two United States surface units operating in the Attu area."

Use of the word "unsuccessfully" indicated that the vessels themselves were not damaged. It was assumed that they replied to the raiders with anti-aircraft fire but no hint was given of whether they shot down or damaged any enemy planes.

In the event the raiders returned to Paramushiro—630 miles to the west in the Kurile Island chain—that a blackout was in progress. A number of persons confessed to having heard the fire siren but said when they did not hear the furnishing factory whistles, which usually accompany the siren in raid alarms, they thought the alarm signified a fire rather than a blackout.

The raid was in progress nearly three minutes before all lights were out.

All-Clear Confused

An investigation to determine why the whistles did not sound was being conducted today by C. C. Culp, chief warden in the eastern end of town.

Regulations stating that the all-clear signal during a raid will be given by radio caused confusion in some sections of town. A number of wardens saw lights go on in houses before the raid test was over and attempted to urge residents to put out their lights until the all-clear was officially received.

One such unit was described in an Army report as "completely cut off" while mopping up operations.

Other units, the War department reported, are occupying high ground west of Chicago Harbor, the Chicago Valley and strong points in the mountains between the harbor and Sarana Bay.

Other accidents:

Max Fishkin, 70, of Philadelphia, died in a hospital after being struck by a trolley. Walter Creavy, 39, of Dickson City, a Lackawanna county detective, was killed in a head-on collision at Saco.

An Ambridge steel mill accident caused the death of Joseph Cassidy, 49, who died of a skull fracture in a Sewickley hospital.

Joseph Henry, 40, of Jeannette, died of injuries received Monday when he fell from a ladder while painting his home.

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Yanks' Tour Cost League Lead; Majors Idle Today

INDIANS TOP
AMERICANS AS
YANKS LOSE SIX

By JUDSON BAILEY

Associated Press Sports Writer

The major leagues are idle today and tomorrow and the New York Yankees doubtless would be glad to use this free time to help the government discourage wartime travel.

The American league champions have just completed what was to have been a grand tour of the west and they had about as much success as a motorist with four flat tires and an "A" card.

There was strictly no pleasure in their jaunt—and very little business. Of 14 scheduled games, they were able to play only seven, because of weather conditions. Of the seven they did play they lost six. And besides losing their last four in a row, they lost the American league lead.

The heaviest blow fell yesterday at Cleveland as the Indians captured a doubleheader 3-1 and 5-2 and moved into first place by full game. Manager Joe McCarthy used his two best pitchers, Ernie Bonham and Spud Chandler, who hurled five-hit and six-hit ball, respectively. The Yanks were checked by southpaw pitchers—Al Smith and Chubby Dean—while the Indians bunched their blows for three runs in the third inning of the first game and four in the sixth stanza of the second game.

Phillies Split Pair
The upheaval in the American league was the big feature of the season's first inter-sectional strife. After two days off for travel it will be resumed Wednesday with the National league clubs playing in the west and the American league clubs in the east. Although the American league had been plagued by bad weather for more than a week, all clubs in both leagues managed to play yesterday and drew the biggest single day attendance of the season, 21,645.

The largest crowd was at Philadelphia, 37,176, to see the amazing Phillies divide a doubleheader with the Pittsburgh Pirates. The Phils' six-game winning streak was halted as the Pirates bagged the first game 4-1 on five hit hurling by Rip Sewell, but the Phillies bounced right back to win the nightcap 5-2.

Giants Humbled
Brooklyn had a sellout crowd of 31,507 as the Dodgers downed the Cincinnati Reds twice, 3-0 on Ed Head's four-hit pitching and 3-1 in a game partly decided by Johnny Vander Meer's wildness. He gave nine walks in seven innings.

This preserved the Reds' record of not having won a Sunday game this season and also maintained the Dodgers' hold on first place in the National league even though the World Champion St. Louis Cardinals completed a sweep of their four-game series against the New York Giants.

The Cards humbled the Giants 6-5 and 4-2 before a crowd of 34,259. The two contests produced no fewer than five "Polo Grounds" home runs. Walker Cooper hit one of these with two on in the first game and Lou Klein hit a round-tripper with two aboard in the sixth inning of the nightcap. Dick Bartell, Joe Orenge and Nick Witek produced the circuit clouts for New York.

Day's Best Pitching
The day's best pitching was at Boston where the Chicago Cubs beat the Braves twice 2-1 and 1-0 in 10 innings. Charley Barrett held the Cubs to three hits, although losing the opener. Hi Bithorn pitched two hit ball to nail the night cap.

The Washington Senators' grip on third place in the American league was enhanced by an 11-0 shutout of the Chicago White Sox in a single game. Weather forced postponement of the other half of the double bill.

Detroit beat the Boston Red Sox 4-3 and then dropped the second game 3-2 in 10 innings and Philadelphia and St. Louis also split. The Browns took the first on four-hit pitching by Dennis Galehouse, but the Athletics squeezed out a 3-2 win in the nightcap with Jesse Flores getting credit for his sixth victory against one defeat.

Henry Armstrong Is Favorite Tonight
Philadelphia, May 24 (AP)—Hammerin' Henry Armstrong wages the 22nd battle of his comeback campaign tonight meeting Maxie Shapiro of New York, in a 10-round bout here.

Armstrong, victor in 18 of his previous 21 comeback battles ruled an overnight 5 to 1 favorite over the unpredictable Shapiro, who only six months ago beat Bob Montgomery, now lightweight champion, as a 10 to 1 underdog.

SERVICE DEPT.
Jockey Frank Earley, a New Orleans boy now riding at Suffolk Downs may be the first "veteran" to return to sports competition after seeing action in this war. He survived a torpedoing while on Navy duty in the south Atlantic and recently was discharged because of a back injury. Joey Maxim, the Cleveland heavyweight, now is Pvt. Joe Barardinelli of the Air Corps station at Miami Beach. When the Bolles Military school swimming team opposed the sailor swimmers of the Jacksonville, Fla., Naval Air Station recently, two of the school stars were Chipman and Cy Higgins, sons of the skipper of the technical training center, Commander R. D. Higgins. They couldn't do much about beating dad's blue-jackets...

Major League
Leaders

(By The Associated Press)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Battling—Herman, Brooklyn, 356. Runs—Musial, St. Louis, and Camilli, Brooklyn, 22.

Runs batted in—Herman, Brooklyn, 23.

Hits—Musial, St. Louis, 41.

Doubles—Herman, Brooklyn, 12.

Triples—Musial, St. Louis, 5.

Home runs—Ott and Maynard, New York, and Litwhiler, Philadelphia, 4.

Stolen bases—Murtough, Philadelphia, and Gustine, Pittsburgh, 4.

Pitching—Allen, Brooklyn, 3-0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Battling—Stephens, St. Louis, 368.

Runs—White, Philadelphia, 20.

Runs batted in—Bloodworth, Detroit, and Johnson and Spence, Washington, 18.

Hits—Wakefield, Detroit, 36.

Doubles—Bloodworth, Detroit, 9.

Triples—Keller, New York, 3.

Home runs—Keller, New York, 5.

Stolen bases—Case, Washington, 5.

Pitching—Carrasquel, Washington, 4-0.

PITCHES FIRST
PERFECT GAME
IN LOOP ANNALS

(By The Associated Press)

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in the first of two games won yesterday by the league-leading Miners, who now have run their victory string to 10 straight. The Miners took the nightcap, 4-0, behind Charley Mason.

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